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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**APPLICANT:** Hubbs, William O..  
**SERIAL NO:** 10/766,454  
**FILED:** January 28, 2004  
**FOR:** Displacement Process for  
Hollow Surveying Retro Reflector

**GAU:** 2872  
**EXAMINER:** E. P. Cherry  
St. Louis, Missouri  
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION OF CLAIMS**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 6, 2005.

Applicant initially elects to further the processing of this application upon the group 1 claims, claims 1, 8 and 9.

This election is made with traverse, because it is believed that the device of claims 1, 8 and 9 can only be made through the method as described in claims 5 through 7. Hence, the election is made with traverse.

Respectively Submitted,

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